

SIoux INDIANS TO ADDRESS DRYS

Will Tell What Catholic Abstinence Union Has Done for Race.

Eight Sioux Indians from North Dakota, in full regalia, will tell their fellow-delegates to the annual convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union today what the work of the union has done in converting the Indians of the Middle West into honorable citizens and workmen.

More than 300 delegates took part last night in the reception which the Catholic dignitaries of Washington and Baltimore and other nearby places gave the visitors in the Raleigh Hotel.

In executive session the finances of the union were discussed, and there was reported the organization of two new societies in the District of Columbia, one for the women and the other for men. The two combined are called the Washington Branch of the League of the Cross, with an enrollment of eighty-three members.

Appeal to Individuals.
"We are against any evil that we are morally obligated to fight. And we intend to fight that evil to extermination," said Rev. Peter J. O'Callaghan, president of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union and Apostolic Missionary last night.

"However, we do not intend to identify ourselves with any movement for the extermination of the liquor traffic," continued Father O'Callaghan. "Our purpose is to appeal to individuals to the conscience of every man. We don't intend

to propose laws and regulations that would force man to behave in this respect." These remarks, in the opinion of many delegates, mark the tenor of this year's convention.

Pontifical Mass in St. Patrick's.

Today's session will be the most important of the entire convention. Pontifical mass will be most important of the entire convention. Pontifical mass will be held in St. Patrick's Church at 10 o'clock this morning. Rev. James J. Keane, archbishop of Dubuque, will preach. A special musical program will be given under the direction of R. Mills Silby, as follows:

Introit—Gregorian.
Kyrie—Witt.
Gloria—Witt.
Graduale—Falsbordone (Silby).
"Alleluia"—Gregorian.
"Veni Creator"—Silby (G. major).
Credo—Palestrina (6 voices) (Papae Marcelli).

Offertorium, "Vladana."
Motto, "Ave Verum"—Mozart.
Sanctus—Witt.
Benedictus—Witt.
Agnus Dei—Witt.
Communion—Gregorian.

The following officers of the Abstinence Union were present last night:
Most Rev. James J. Keane, D. D., spiritual director, Dubuque, Iowa.
Very Rev. Peter J. O'Callaghan, C. S. P., president, Washington, D. C.
Rev. Dennis J. Kane, first vice president, Wellborn, Pa.
William H. Cuddy, second vice president, Boston, Mass.

Mr. Thomas J. Hackett, third vice president, New York, N. Y.
Rev. John V. Moynan, LL. D., treasurer, Nanticoke, Pa.
Thomas E. McCloskey, general secretary, Danbury, Conn.
Very Rev. M. A. Lambing, president Priests' League, Scotland, Pa.

MANN BLOCKS BILL FOR REFORM IN ASSESSMENT

Taxpayers of District Hope to Convert Minority Leader to Support of Tinkham Measure.

Taxpayers of the District hope to convince Minority Leader Mann that the Tinkham bill providing for assessments for street betterments should not be levied until after the improvements are actually begun, should become law during the present session.

The opposition of the Illinois representative prevented the consideration of the bill when it was called up on the unanimous consent calendar.

House Chairman Johnson, of the District Committee, urged that the objection be withdrawn, but Mann replied that he was prepared to fight the bill on the floor of the House.

Representative Tinkham, author of the measure, hopes to convince Representative Mann that his objections to the measure are due to a misunderstanding, with the result that the bill may be passed under a suspension of the rules.

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Chicago Cheers As Hughes Denounces Wilson's Regime

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again to laughter by his epigrammatic sallies. He repeated his Mexican assault, and in addition, opened a new attack on the administration for extravagance, pork-barrel methods, rejecting of the budget system, raid of the civil service law, and using diplomatic appointments to pay political debts.

His speech bristled with epigrams revealing Hughes in an entirely new light. Ridiculing the Democratic tariff policy he cried:

"You could no more get a protective tariff out of a Democratic Congress than you could get a revival sermon out of a disorderly house."

He referred to Villa as "that eminent Sunday school scholar."

"I don't want any hot air in mine," he declared in another place.

"We got into an ignominious war," he said, "and we backed out ignominiously."

He promised a business administration, if elected.

"We have somehow convinced the world that our talk is cheap and meaningless," he said.

"Let us have a new birth of American purpose and courage," he urged.

Mr. Hughes left here at 10:45 o'clock to-night for St. Paul, where he will speak tomorrow night.

Stops probably will be made in Wisconsin during the day for brief speeches.

Has Peculiar Emotions.

Mr. Hughes spoke in part as follows: "I come to this hall with peculiar emotions. Here, a little less than two months ago the Republican National Convention nominated me for president of the United States. I had not sought that nomination; I was contented with my work, but when that call came, it did not admit of an instant's hesitation. I felt that a direct and important summons to the performance of an obvious duty, because I had a vision of the demands upon the American people in the opening years of this twentieth century."

"I desired, if the American people so wished, to dedicate myself to the cause of American government, not for partisan expediency, not for friends, not for political supporters, but for the American people alone."

"I held the highest partisan expediency to be an administration of capacity for service to the country. If the Republican party will go forward, as I believe it will, to give that service in upbuilding, maintaining, in conserving the prosperity of the United States in the great crisis that confronts it, the Republican party will have forever the gratitude of the American people, as it had their gratitude when it saved this nation from destruction fifty years ago."

For Business-Like Way.

"I came to this candidacy proposing that we shall deal with the problems of administration in a business-like way. We have lived long in this country in a somewhat reckless fashion because of the wealth of natural resources with which we have been blessed. We have counted on our natural resources as it had to be reckoned in foreign lands. We have been blessed so bountifully by nature that our growing population has scarcely felt the pressure of necessity. But these bounties of nature have been rapidly used. We are now coming to the time of test for democracy."

"It is easy for democracy to lavish its favors and to take little account of the future."

"The hard thing for the democracy is to be expert, to count the cost, to look into the future and wisely plan."

"One of the very serious charges which must be laid against the present administration is the charge of putting incompetent men into important positions. That is not for the benefit of democracy. And I now, in this place where I was nominated, without any regard to political future say this: That if I am elected President of the United States I propose that every man that I put in charge of an important department shall be a man eminently fit to discharge the duties of that department."

"Training Should Count."

"I propose that in diplomatic service, training shall count, I propose that when a man goes from this country to represent the great American people in another nation and I do not care whether it is the small nation, or a big nation, for we want our influence in small and great—I propose that that man shall be a worthy representative to whom the people whom he is accredited to will look with respect and esteem seeing, in him the efficiency of the great United States."

"I pointed out last night in my speech in Detroit the lamentable way in which our diplomatic service had been denuded of men of experience in order to supply political jobs. I counted that a capital offense. It is trading the good name of the United States. Nobody has a right to pay political debts with the good name and the honor of the United States."

"Four years ago the Democratic party in its platform accused the Republican party of waste and extravagance. They said that they were going to be economical. When they got in, they were more wasteful and more extravagant than any administration had ever been. And the record is a record in the face of knowledge."

Would Not Be Tolerated.

"I don't care, if I am elected president, what becomes of my personal political fortunes. I propose that we shall have government in a business-like way. We have a financial system in the United States that would not be tolerated in any other country."

"We have a great number of committees examining particular estimates of particular departments and a general supervision and a responsibility in securing that limitation of appropriations, that sensible business perspective, we have every inducement to waste because we have a lack of business-like financial administration. What we need in this country is the willingness to stand by the facts. We cannot tell now just what is going to happen when this war is over. But I tell you we can have a fair judgment if it comes to put us to a test the like of which we have never known. And I propose that we shall meet that test with a reverence for the opinion of men who know facts and for the facts themselves."

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No Respect for Idea.

"I have no respect for the idea that because democratic government is a government of the people and for the people, it is a government of the foolish, for the foolish and by the foolish. The more democratic the government is the more you need hard sense and expert knowledge and a willingness to listen to people who know what they are talking about."

"Now, my friends, we want not only American efficiency in business, we want the American flag unswayed and the American name honored throughout the world."

"Our friends on the other side are very sensitive about Mexico. That record is an imperishable record of weakness and vacillation that forfeits or should forfeit the confidence of the American people. The question is not simply as to that act or that act, but it is a record which is so shameful, so full of wrong-headedness, so inconsistent, so destitute of courage, so devoid of principle, that it leaves me with the conclusion that we cannot safely entrust the welfare of the American people, the honor of the American name and the protection of American citizens."

Doesn't Defend Huerta.

"Now, I shall not review it in detail. Let me say that I do not defend Huerta. I am not going to say so with respect to the recognition or nonrecognition of Huerta in itself. That is a matter that while the administration might have refused recognition to Huerta, if it was satisfied that Huerta could not discharge the international obligations of Mexico, the administration had no right to make war on Huerta as an individual for the purpose of destroying the only government Mexico ever had."

"What the administration could have done is plain. If it had no right to commit this country to a course of conduct which landed Mexico in anarchy, left our citizens a prey to the ravages of revolution, and made our name a word of contempt in a list of shameful words, one of the foremost apologists of the administration arose in the Senate the other day and took the Republican party to task for interfering with the administration's desire to recognize that eminent Sunday school scholar, Villa."

"Did anyone ever doubt that Villa was an assassin, a bandit whose whole career was one of murder and pillage? And yet this apologist for the administration said only the other day in the Senate that the platform performance sounded as if the virtue of American doctrine, liberty, justice for the poor for mankind."

Travesty of Policy.

"Here is a man with a government of some kind professing to be provisional president."

"We say 'down with him' up with the revolution. Let us abolish the government! Destroy the government that Mexico has, and then because we do not like the moral character of Huerta let us rush to the arms of this patriot, the usurper of American doctrine, the bandit Villa."

"I say it is a travesty of international policy, a disgrace to the American people."

"Now the correct way was this: We have no desire to get anything from Mexico, but if the administration had at the outset said to Huerta, 'We will recognize you if you can perform your international obligations, if you have got a real government that can discharge its duties—we won't recognize you unless we are satisfied that you have. But there is one thing that you and every one else must understand and that is this: American life and property of American citizens in Mexico must be protected, and we will see to it.'"

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CHICAGO GREETSG. O. P. CHAMPION

Windy City Gives Enthusiastic Welcome to Candidate. Day a Busy One.

(By the International News Service.) Chicago, Aug. 8.—Without putting so severe a tax upon him as did Detroit, Chicago enthusiastically welcomed Hughes.

He was cheered by a small crowd at the station upon his arrival shortly after 5 o'clock this morning. Five thousand persons greeted him at the public reception tendered him at noon in the Conway Building, where National Headquarters for the West are located.

He received and conferred with a score of leaders—Republicans and Progressives—during the day, had a ride through the park system, posed for the movies on the roof of the Blackstone, talked a section of his Detroit speech into a phonograph for campaign purposes, and bought himself a new Panama hat and a black alpaca suit for use in the West.

The old hat went to Mrs. Fred Upham, wife of the Western Financial Agent of the National Committee. She is collecting the discarded hats of famous men.

The dominating note of the day was the quiet confidence in Republican circles of victory in November. A majority of 300,000 for Hughes is the least the leaders will predict.

Greeted Many Party Men.

Coupled with this is to be noted the apparent final ironing out of the differences between the Progressive and regular Republicans. Hughes saw today among others, Alvin T. Hart, of Kentucky, who, as forecasted by the International News Service, has been named Western manager of the campaign. With the two were the final chairman, Wilcox, Raymond Robbins, Fred Stanley, of Kansas, Dan Mulvane, of the same State, James R. Garfield, of Ohio, James A. Hamingway, of Indiana, Representative McKinley, of Illinois, Medill McCormick, and Joseph K. Keating, of Indiana.

This group of Republicans and Progressives had a love feast together and as final evidence that peace has been restored, it was pointed out that John C. Schaefer, a dyed-in-the-wool Progressive, was chairman of the committee which welcomed Hughes to Chicago and entertained him during his stay here. All of these leaders joined in saying that peace has been restored and that the reunited party will work together to carry the state for Hughes.

Next to these political outcroppings, what has brought most cheer to the hearts of the party men is the manner in which Hughes himself has arisen to the situation. He went through the onerous program in Detroit yesterday. He tried a campaigner and was ready for more today. He is rapidly learning the tricks of the trade. He can ride "stand-up" in a machine and can wave his hat as well as T. B. H. he mixes like a regular, his smile is most infectious and best of all, from the standpoint of the party men, he is delivering savage blows at the enemy.

Speeches Win Praise.

The Mexican speech of last night and the day speeches in which he dwelt on the rights of the labor men, have won him the praise of the Middle Western newspapers and he is in receipt of scores of congratulatory telegrams.

Frank Tracy, former Secret Service guard of Col. Roosevelt when the latter was President, joined the party today to assist Sylvester B. Riordan in guarding the candidate for the remainder of the Western trip. According to rumor, the actions of a stranger in Detroit yesterday, who said he had a message for the governor, aroused the fears of his staff, and additional protection was determined upon.

This story is needed by those close to Hughes, who say it was originally intended that Tracy should leave New York with the party, but was detained by a business engagement. At all events Tracy will follow with the party from this point. A special detail of police attended the nominee today wherever he went.

Limiting Soldiers' Enjoyments.

Talk about the hardships the Second Maine boys underwent at Camp Keyes and en route to Texas! Just read what a Dexter lad writes about what they are now undergoing:

"We can see the Mexicans in swimming on the other side, but are not allowed to shoot at them."—Kennebec Journal.

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VISITING KNIGHTS ROYALLY FETED

Chicago Members of Columbus Order to See President Today.

The visiting Knights of Columbus, from Chicago, were last night tendered a reception and cabaret at the Columbus Country Club, at Fort Berry, Va.

A typical Southern chicken dinner was the first thing on the program, followed by a musical literary entertainment by the Knights of Columbus Dramatic Club.

At 10 o'clock the floor was cleared and the evening's entertainment closed with a dance.

Members of the Columbus Country Club in charge were: Dr. J. Rosier, chairman; George A. Dady, Frank C. Hall, John C. Merkle, Joseph B. McCann, Joseph J. Duggan, Edward J. Cunningham, Leo A. Rover, Wallace H. Morris, John F. Wahler, Harry Spier, Henry F. Dolan, James A. Sullivan, Lawrence E. Dolan, Frank M. McLaughlin, William J. Howard, Francis S. Mullin, John H. Clippert, Peter J. Nee, George A. Howe, James H. Kates, S. Leo McCarthy, John M. McGraw, William M. Walsh, Charles P. L. Moran, Bernard J. Fitzgerald, J. Miller Tabler, Robert E. McNamara, Lewis Payne, J. Blain Fitzgerald, B. Sylvester Lavins, James E. Colliflower, Martin J. McNamara, Edward L. Tucker, Maurice R. Colbert, Frank J. Dunn, John A. Eckert, Edward P. Rickenbacker, Albert W. Brand, William D. Wilcox, Francis Marvin, James P. Fegan, Matthew P. Myers, Edward A. Strudley, Francis J. Cleary, Raymond Lannan, Frank Glancy, Thomas H. Reid, Daniel Masterson, Richard P. Whitty, Joseph D. Moriarty, Joseph W. Freeman, James W. McLaughlin and John J. Hogan.

The visiting knights, and those accompanying them, will be received by the President at 5:30 o'clock this morning in the East Room of the White House, after which a visit will be made to the Catholic University and the Monastery at Brookland.

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